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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the (X) utility, ( ) design, ( ) plant patent application of:

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For: Melt Spun Thermoplastic Polyurethanes Useful as Textile Fibers

Enclosed are:

(X) 19 page(s) of specification (X) 10 page(s) of claims(X) 1 page(s) Abstract (X) Executed Declaration/Power of Attorney

( ) sheet(s) of ( ) formal ( ) informal drawings

( ) An assignment of the application to \_\_\_\_\_

( ) Preliminary Amendment ( ) Information Disclosure Statement

( ) Associate Power of Attorney ( ) Verified Statement Under 37 CFR 1.9  
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The filing fee is calculated as follows:

CLAIMS AS FILED					
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE		AMOUNT
			LARGE ENTITY	SMALL ENTITY	
Basic Fee Utility	XXXXXX	XXXXXX	\$710.00	\$355.00	#355.00
Design	XXXXXX	XXXXXX	\$320.00	\$160.00	
Plant	XXXXXX	XXXXXX	\$490.00	\$245.00	
Total Claims	- 20 =		x \$18.00	x \$9.00	
Independent Claims	- 3 =		x \$80.00	x \$40.00	
Multiple Dependency			\$270.00	\$135.00	
Late Fee Surcharge			\$130.00	\$65.00	
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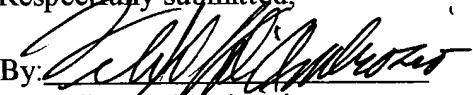
- A check in the amount of \$ 355.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed (Check # 15889 )
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- This application is filed under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53, and does not include:
  - Declaration
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- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 10-1213. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
  - Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.
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  - The Issue Fee set in 37 CFR 1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311(b).
- Priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 based on the following:

Serial No.	Date Filed	Country
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Respectfully submitted,

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